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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS : EITRICH et al.
SERIAL NO. : 08/930,235
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FOR : COSMETIC OR PHARMACEUTICAL MICROEMULSIONS
ART UNIT : 1712
EXAMINER : Richard Lovering or Daniel Metzmaier

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT FOR RCE

SIR:

Prior to consideration of the application on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as indicated below.

CONDITIONAL PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

If entry and consideration of the amendments above requires an extension of time, Applicants respectfully request that this be considered a petition therefor. The Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee(s) due in this connection to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.

ADDITIONAL FEE

Please charge any insufficiency of fees, or credit any excess, to Deposit Account No. 14-1263.